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Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Pursuant to my letter dated August 10, 1955 on the subject of the Pacific cable, you will find attached a copy of the reply of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company to our letter dated August 5, 1955, together with copies of its correspondence with the Federal Communications Commission requesting authority to proceed with the cable.

It is now considered necessary to present the views of the Government agencies with regard to the defense aspects of the projected cable. To accomplish this, it is proposed to send the attached draft letter to the FCC as such an expression. It will be appreciated if your comments or approval of the letter may be made by telephone.

The Federal Communications Commission has indicated that it prefers not to comment in this matter because it is now before the Commission officially as presented by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Sincerely yours,

F. C. Alexander
Deputy Assistant Director
for Telecommunications

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